

Providence Community Opportunity Corporation

The Providence Community Opportunity Corporation (PCOC) is a nonprofit affiliate of the Providence Housing Authority (PHA). The PCOC's mission is to provide and maintain high standards of living through programs and services that promote self-sufficiency, economic independence, educational opportunities, as well as enhance and enrich the quality of life for the public housing and Section 8 residents of the PHA.



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FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

- Net Revenue from employee contributions, grants, and other fundraising: **\$19,234**
- Total expenses for community events, services, and activities: **\$25,101**
- Assets: **\$42,902.72**

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- **Protect Providence with One Click Campaign** - Outreach campaign to decrease vehicular deaths and injury among multicultural populations due to improper seat-belt use. The One Click campaign came to a close in FY18.
- **Resident Events** - The PCOC consistently funds Holiday parties and May Breakfast events at the PHA's high-rises, serving dinner and providing residents who otherwise might be alone during the holidays. PCOC also hosted a toy drive for family developments during the holiday season and sponsored the Youth Police Initiative with support from the RI Foundation and Providence Rotary Foundation.

